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| For: | METHOD FOR CONSTRUCTING A PROCESS-DRIVEN INFORMATION SYSTEM | / / / / / / / |

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner For Patents Box: New Application

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a preliminary amendment to the enclosed application entitled "Method For Constructing A Process-Driven Information System". Please amend the specification as follows:

Before the first paragraph on page 1, please insert

-- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims priority to GB Application No. 9903830.9 filed 19 February 1999.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--;

On page 3 before line 17 insert the following heading:

--SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--;

Page 5 before line 13 insert the following heading:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--;